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In re Application of

SEMSCH, Angelika et al

U.S. Application No.: 08/930,735

PCT No.: PCT/DE97/00187

Int. Filing Date: 26 January 1997

Priority Date: 27 January 1996

Attorney Docket No.: 0190 US/P

For: DEVICE FOR PREVENTING OR

REDUCING TIPPING OF THE HEAD

DECISION

Applicants' "Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)" filed via facsimile on 19 September 2002 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

Applicants' statement that "the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date until the filing of this petition, was unintentional" as required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3). The small entity petition fee of \$640.00 has been charged from counsel's credit card as authorized. No terminal disclaimer is required. Accordingly, all requirements under 37 CFR 1.137(b) are now satisfied.

Applicants' petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.8(b) filed via facsimile on 13 March 2003 to show that the petition to revive was originally submitted 19 September 2002 is dismissed as moot since the instant petition to revive has been located and placed in the above-captioned application.

Applicants have completed the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. § 371(c). The application has an international filing date of 26 January 1997, under 35 U.S.C. 363, and a 35 U.S.C. 371(c) date of 19 September 2002.

This application is being forwarded to the National Stage Processing Division of the Office of PCT Operations for continued processing.

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